

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shin NEMOTO

Application No.: New U.S. Patent Application

Filed: August 21, 2006

Docket No.: 128677

For: METHOD FOR DETERMINING SLEEP STAGES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to taking the above-identified application up for examination, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims;

**Amendments to the Drawings** include an attached replacement sheet; and

**Remarks.**